Anduin

Sheesh! Talk about a busy month! Thank Ghod that's all over with. This is the first time I've even thought about Diplomacy since May. I NMR'd and NBR'd for my first time but in both cases it helped my position. To those of you who wrote and are awaiting a reply, sorry for the delay and I'll try to catch up as soon as I can. Why you may ask, was June a busy month for me you may ask, well, I'll tell you. Firstly, I had Finals in many of my subjects, and I also had an Acheivment test in Chemistry, as well as Standardized Testing in both Math and Chemistry. But I came through with flying colors I'm not embarassed to say, getting A's on both of my big tests (blush blush). But now, that's all over with and school is out. Soooooo...

This is a HR's issue. Included will be my updated HR's, a mailing list, some winter moves for those games that have them, and some other assorted tid-bits. I'll hold some stuff off for next issue which will be out at its normal time, the time of July in this case. Even with my busy schedule, I did find the time to attend a Chess demo given by Bruce Pandolfini, a National Master. I have included my game with him in here as I think those of you who like Chess may find it interesting. As you can tell, I am a real chess fanatic which brings me to my next topic. I have been running some games of Postal Chess between some of the subbers to Anduin. But there hasn't been too much interest due to the fact that nothing was at stake. If anyone is interested, I would like to run a postal chess tournement with a \$3 entrance fee and all the money going to the winner at the end. If you are interested, read on. I'll haver details later on somewhere else in the issue.

ANDUIN HOUSE RULES

DIPLOMACY:

- I. All the rules of Allan B. Calhamer's DIPLOMACY, as printed by Avalon Hill in the 1971 edition, will be used as far as practicality allows in postal play.
- II. Games are open to all citizens in the U.S. Canada, and people with APO, FPO, or CFPO addresses. Games may also be opened to foreigners but under special conditions (i.e., longer deadlines, etc.). All monies must be remitted in US currency.
- III. Stand-by positions are available free to subscribers. If you wish to be placed on the SB list, all that is nessacary is that you inform me.
- IV. Game deadlines will be published with each report of the game. In general, these deadlines will be on the 8th or 9th of each month. This allows me to publish them for the 15th.

- V. In the case of a postal strike in the U.S., all games will be postponed until after the strike, when an update issue will be printed with information on the games and new deadlines. A Canadian postal strike will merely suspend those games with Canadian participants.
- VI. Each submission of orders should include the games assigned "Boardman Number", the name of the player's country, the season of the move, and the players signature. If the game does not yet have a Boardman # assigned to it then use whatever name I have given it until I recieve the BN from the BNC.
- VII. Any person found to be playing under a pseudonym will be immediatly expelled from all ANDUIN games that person is in. A stand-by will then be found to replace him. Deception of the gm will not be tolerated.
- VIII. Unless otherwise specified, game fees are \$3 with a \$3 refundable NMR fee. If during the course of the game, a player never NMR's he will have his NMR fee refunded. When a player NMR's, a stand-by will be called for and if the player misses the next deadline, the position will be given to the stand-by and his orders will be counted.
- IX. If you wish to phone in orders please do so between the hours of 6:30-9:30pm on weekdays, 12:00-10:00pm on weekends. EASTERN STANDERD TIME! I will not accept orders phoned in outside of these times. It is not advisable to phone in orders because there are times when nobody is here to take them.
- X. Press releases found offensive will not be printed (basically this means racist or nazi-type press).
- XI. There shall never be more than two people from the same area-code participating in the same game and there will <u>never</u> be more than one from the same town.
- XII. I reserve the right to make any changes I feel are nessacary in the HR's. However, I will try and find out the general opinion of the players before doing so. All players will be informed of any changes made.
- XIII. DRAWS INCLUDE ALL SURVIVORS (DIAS).
- XIV: I TAKE NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FAILINGS OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL "SERVICE"!
- XV. Retreats. In the case of a unit being dislodged, a retreat will be called for. If the unit has only one space to go, the gm will arbitrarily retreat it there. In the case of a unit having a choice, orders may be made conditional upon that retreat and/or any others. Be specific. If the player chooses to retreat a unit OTB, he should notify the gm of this. If no insturction is given for a retreating unit, it will be removed. In the case of an NMR, all dislodged units will be removed.

XVII: If a vote is called for, and a player doesn't vote on it along with his orders for the next turn, the gm will count it as a "yes" vote for any or all votes called for. Be it for a concession, combinging of seasons, draw, or anything else concerning the game.

XVIII. Orders arriving late will be accepted if they are post-marked six days prior to the deadline. For Canadians and other foreign players, eight days prior to the deadline. What this means is if the USP"S" screws you grandly, you won't have to pay so much. Orders mailed sooner than the set numbers above, are mailed at the players risk of arriving late (usually, allow yourself at least four days and six if you are Canadian or foriegn.). In any case, I will never accept orders arriving four days after the deadline no matter when they are postmarked. If I cannot read the postmark, and orders are late, I will not count them.

XIX. Orders mailed by Express Mail, Mailgram or any other next day service, will be accepted if they are mailed two days prior to the deadline. If they are postmarked later than this, you run the same risk as stated in XVIII. Special Delivery does <u>not</u> speed up the amount of time it takes for a letter to get here. So when using other methods of mailing in orders (other than normal 1st class) check and see what you are actually getting for the extra money you are spending.

XX. In the case of more than three retreats in any one given season, the gm may seperate the seasons as he see's fit to do. In any case, seasons will be seperated if more than three people wish or them to be and state so.

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Even though the orders aren't due until July 10, there is something that I have to mention. I made another giant louse-up to help me rating as a gm in the Leeder (this is really going polls!). Two months ago, I assigned Rick Slaughter as a stand-by However, Rick wrote me apologizing and said that he for Italy. couldn't stand-by because he didn't know the rules for Youngstown. This was near the deadline and I still hadn't recieved the original Italian player's orders, so I called Rick and explained the game to him over the phone. I said that if he could give me orders, I would send him the rules and maps as soon as possible. did and everything worked out well, except; When I explained the game to him, I told him he started with a fleet in Rome instead of an army. In actuality, he does indeed start with I must have been thinking of 1885 in which Italy has a an army. choice, and somehow I mixed the games together and came up with the fact that Italy starts with a fleet in Rome. Dave Anderson pointed this out to me and suggested that I write F Rom-Tyn(sic) A ROM U, H. I couldn't very well do this <u>no such unit exists;</u> Unfortunately, I can't be because Rick is not to blame, I am. penalized (God U, H?)! I thought I might restart the game but that would really screw things up and besides, I've already delayed this game twice. So what I have decided to do is let it stand the way it is. We could call the game irregular but since it's a variant anyway, I don't think anyone cares about that. any case, if any of you plyers have a complaint or a suggestion about how I might go about this better, I'd be happy to hear about it. If not, I'd rather not delay the game and so for now the deadline remains July 10, 1982. Sorry bout that. Interesting thing though, Only one person noticed it. What happenned Y'all "Winter, 1902" 1981 IR

WHAT??? ANOTHER MISTAKE?!?!

That's right folks! Last season I reported the French A Marmaking it to Bur. Actually, it didn't believe it or not. No big deal though. Here are the Winter adjustments:
England: Builds F Liv. Also has F's Lon, Nao, Nwy, Swe, & A Bel (6).
France(Martin): Builds F Bre. Also has F Eng, A Mar, A Par, & A Por (5).
Germany (Carter): Even. Has A's Pic, Ruh, Mun, Ber, & F Den (5).

Italy (Kollmer): Builds F Nap. Also has A's Smy, Tyr & F's Eas & Ion (5).

Austria (Scheifler): Builds A Vie. Also has F Tri & A's Sil, Ser, & Gre (5).

Russia (Furey): Even. Has F's Bul(ec), Sev, Bal, & Bar & A's Mos & Ukr (6).
Turkey (Felella): Removes A Arm. Has F's Bla & Con (2).

Contact 1903 are due by July 20, 1982.

Orders for Spring 1903 are due by July orders on hand from France & Germany. If anyone Felse sent in orders, I apologize but my files got totally screwed up this month.

"Winter 1902" 1981KI

Last season I misprinted England's order for F Den. actually F DEN-Kie. No effect was made on the adjustments though. England (Chisholm): Builds F Edi & F Lon. Also has F's Den, Ska, & Nth & A Bel (6).

Builds A Par & F Mar. Also has F Wes & A's Por & France (Hakey): Spa (5).

Germany (S. Lorber): Removes A Mun. Has F Hel, A's Ruh & Kie (3) Italy (Quirk): Even. Has F Ion & A's Tyr, Boh & Ven (4). Austria (Murray): Builds A Tri. Also has A's Bud Vie, Ser, & F

Gre (5). Russia (Belliveau): Builds A's Mos, War & Sev. Also has A's Con, Ber, Sil, Bul & F's Bla & Swe (9).

Turkey (Osborne): Even, 2 anni. Has A Smy & F Aeg (2). Orders for Spring, 1903 are due by July 10, 1982.

"Winter, 1902" 1981KE

NO MISTAKES IN THIS ONE! (I HOPE!)

England (Martin): Even. Has F's Lon, Wal, & Nwg (3). France (Morris): Builds F Bre. Also has F's Mid, Yor (F Lon retreated there last season), & A's Bur, Spa & Bei (6). Germany (Ashley): Even. Has A's Hol, Mun & Ruh & F's Den & Hel (5).

Italy (Rauterberg): Builds A Ven. Also has F Ion & A's Tun & Tyr (4).

Austria (Murray): Even. Has F's Gre, Alb & A's Boh, Sil, & Tri

Russia (Carter): Builds A War & A Mos (surprise). Also has ((get ready for this!)) A's Rum, Fin, St.P, & F's Sev, Swe, & Bul(ec) (B) -

Turkey (B Lorber): Even. Has F's Ank, Bla & <u>A Co</u>n. Orders for Spring, 1903 are due by July 1982. I have orders on hand from England, Germany, Italy, Abstria, Russia, and Turkey (Let's go Roland!).

Russia-England: Shucks, Im no genius (blush). It's just hard not to luck onto the right move when you play in 37 games. the other 36 games where I'm getting my ass kicked? Anyway, just wait a while and things will change in this game. The gods don't like **me <u>that</u> m**uch.

Russia-Gm: Ok, ok, I just <u>love</u> your comments in the press. <u>Now</u> will you lose Dickiepoo's orders for this game.

<u>Gm-Russia</u>: Do I detect a note of sarcasm in thine press?? Naw, your a loyal toady, I'm sure. In any case, how did you find out that Scott Bloom bribed me in 81IR? He must have told you, that snake!

I'm sure you're all quite relieved to know France: season's first "hurry Kane" buzzed past my little corner of paradise in record time (sorry Dave), thus leaving me totally unscathed and fully prepared to continue with the raping and pillaging of the English countryside. Maybe the next one Dick.

England: Feast or famine - this game it's famine.

<u>England-Russia</u>: Nice meeting you. By the way, wanna puppet? England-Italy: Nice meeting you too. But don't you write press? Gm-Italy: Yeah Paul, what's with you this game?! C'mon!

England-France: Oh, you want a puppet? Ok.

I say this from my heart. <u>Gm-England:</u> My most deepest congradulations on your marraige with Julie (that's what the rumours are saying at least). May you both have many, many many happy years together!

Well, I suppose it's about time to tell you that <u>Anduin</u>, is published every 15th of the month by me; Eric Kane, 109 Hicks Lane, Great Neck, NY, 11024. Subs are \$6 for 10 issues, \$11 for 20 issues, or \$20 for 45 issues. Games are \$3 plus a refundable \$3 NMR deposit at the beginning of the game which will be returned to you as long as you have not NMR's during the course of the Those perceptive people out there will notice that $\ \ I$ have raised the game fee from \$2 to \$3. I've had a couple of NMR's and I'd like to keep the number as low as possible. Maybe the price hike will help. It can't hurt me right!? Brian has decided that he doesn't want to open any games for a while so those signed up for has next game have been transferred to me. They are: Hakey, Makuc, Stone, MacFarlene?, Coveny? Anyone else interested. If not, send those preference lists in folks! 1 more needed plus those with question marks are unsure. I also have openings in 1885II. A nine-player variant adding Sweden and Spain. Those signed up are : Fleming, Stewart, Shuetz, Charneley, Anderson, MacFarlene? and two others whose names I can't find. I think one But I still need 2 more. I'll try and print the map is Brooks. and rules with the next issue if I have room. Finnaly, starting a chess tournement if anyone is interested. There will be a \$4 entrance fee and all of the money will go to a pot which will be divided among the winner and runner-up. 75% going to the winner and 25% going to the runner up. Everyone will play each other twice. Once as Black and once as White. I <u>will</u> have diagrams (I hope!). I know some of you are thinking, what about chess computers? Well for one thing, that's why I'm only making the pot \$4 each. I'd like to make it about 10 dollars each. Also, I'm hoping most people will have more integretity than to use a computer. Anyway, we'll see how things work out. Those who I know are interested are: Me, Brooks, Furey, R Ellis, Kaplan, Felella, Hakey, Scheifler, S Cameron Larzelere, and Greg Fritz. If anyone else is interested, I'll accept up to 20 people (and maybe more if you twist my arm!). If you are interested, send me 4 dollars and I'll try and have the games going in two issues.

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Helcaraxe 4 - July 1, 1982 - 1982AK - Camelot Kingmaker ----

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I don't know exactly what to do for this issue today; it sort of sneaked up on me. Anyway, I pulled a real intelligent move this month. It seems that my brother and I neglected to clean up our room and my mother took it into her own hands to do so. To make a long story short, I no longer have copies of the orders for the dip game (82AK). Could everybody in the game please send me a copy? I guess this lowers my Leeder Poll rating from bad to worse but it's better than screwing up the game considerably. If all orders are recieved by July or so I'll try to send out the next game turn with the next issue. Kingmaker is with due 19 July and it should be an interesting turn.

This was to be a houserules issue but I haven't the heart to put you through two sets of those vile things. My houserules are pretty much live and let live anyway; not much to repeat. If worst comes to worst we can just refer to Kane's houserules, why break chops!

One last thing, does anybody know if anyone has written a computer gamesmastering program that they are willing to spread around? I'd love to get my hands on a copy, transfer it to the apple computer, add some graphics for a board and do away with the hassle of my ancient wrecked set.

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as you can see from the scribblel-out deadlines, we have altered our game plan for the next issue. Because of various delarge, this issue was about a meet late. Text issue will come out about the 21st and will banked out at Origins 82, which both Eric and I plan to attent

The new deadline for all games in both zines in 26 # July 1982.

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Nah, origins would be too soon. The dealling is

26 July, 1981, Hope to all strang

of you Thes!

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